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In re Application of:

**Lederman, R.J.**

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### **Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Receiving Office**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Receiving Office, issued on November 01, 2005, with respect to the above-identified patent application, Applicants herewith respectfully submit:

1. A copy of the November 01, 2005, Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Receiving Office; and
2. An executed copy of a Declaration of the Inventors in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the above-indicated international application number and filing date.

A copy of the Declaration was submitted to the International Bureau on February 23, 2004. No fee is believed to be required for consideration of this submission.

However, in the event that the Commissioner determines that a fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any (Large Entity) fee required for consideration of this submission to Deposit Account 50-0548.

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Please contact the undersigned in the event that any further action is required.

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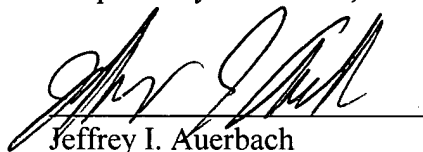
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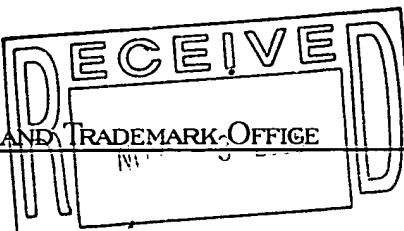
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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/09/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/09/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/09/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/09/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/09/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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